

Amendment to the Claims:

The following listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings, of claims in this application:

1-91. (Cancelled)

92. (New) A method for the payment of parking by a user, comprising the steps of:

registering a communication means with a central processing center;
assigning the communication means a communication means number;
entering the communication means number in a central billing database;
providing the communication means number to the central processing center;

receiving a reference identifier assigned by the central billing database;
moving the reference identifier into a parking space where a vehicle is parked;

displaying the reference identifier on the vehicle before leaving the vehicle in the parking space;

activating with the central billing database the reference identifier placed on the vehicle using the communication means;

recording the activating step in the central billing database; and

charging the communication means number for parking by the central processing center.

93. (New) The method of claim 92, wherein the reference identifier is a pass number.

94. (New) The method of claim 93, wherein the step of providing the communication means number includes providing a password to the central processing center.

95. (New) The method of claim 94, wherein the activating step includes the entry of a telephone number of the central processing center via the communication means, the pass number, a city zone associated with the physical location of the parking, and the password, and a time allotment to pay for parking for the time allotment.

96. (New) The method of claim 94, wherein the activating steps further includes the step of waiting for a verification from the central billing database.

97. (New) The method of claim 95, further comprising the step of sending advertising to the communication means while waiting for the verification from the central billing database.

98. (New) The method of claim 95, wherein additional complementary payment information is sent to the communication means while waiting for the verification from the central billing database.

99. (New) The method of claim 92, wherein the method further comprises the step of communicating with the central billing location to deactivate the reference identifier using the communication means.

100. (New) The method of claim 92, wherein the step of charging is performed using a mathematical algorithm based on different variable rates such as a time of day, or a usage and density of parking in a geographical location.

101. (New) The method of claim 92, where the step of charging is performed based on a dynamic price premium assigned based on a high usage zone of parking.

102. (New) The method of claim 92, wherein the step of charging is billed either to a credit card, a phone account, or a pre-authorized payment.

103. (New) The method of claim 92, further comprising the step of allowing access by a parking enforcement personnel to the central billing database to determine if the reference identifier is activated and active.

104. (New) The method of claim 103, wherein further comprising the step of allowing the central billing database to issue a ticket to an owner of the communication means for a violation of parking at the request of the parking enforcement personnel.